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In re Application of  
Fumio Mieda  
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This is in response to the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) filed May 30, 2007.

The renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is granted.

A "Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application" (the "Notice") was mailed by the Office on February 1, 2004, allowing a shortened period of reply of two-months from its mailing date. Extensions of time set for reply were available pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The Notice required an oath or declaration to be filed and \$65.00 surcharge. A response was not received within the allowable period and the application became abandoned on April 2, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 26, 2004. A petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was first filed on September 26, 2006, and dismissed by a decision mailed March 12, 2007.

The surcharge, paid May 30, 2007, is noted and made of record.

This application is being directed to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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